

Blue Options SM—Benefits Highlights (PPO)

Physician Office Services

(See “Outpatient Clinic Services” for “outpatient clinic” or “hospital-based” services.)

Office Visits

Includes Office Surgery, Consultation, X-rays and Lab, and a benefit Period maximum of 4 office visits for the assessment of obesity in and out of network. See “Inpatient and Outpatient Services”.

Primary Care Provider

In-network

\$15 co-payment

Out-of-network

70% after deductible

Specialist

\$30 co-payment

70% after deductible

Preventive Care

Routine Examinations, Well-Child Care, Immunizations, Pap Smears, Mammograms, Prostate SPECIFIC antigen Tests (PSAs)

Primary Care Provider

\$15 co-payment

Not Available*

Specialist

\$30 co-payment

Not Available*

*Pap Smears, Mammograms, and PSAs are covered Out-of-network.

Therapies

Short-term Rehabilitative Therapies (Maximums apply to Home, Office and Outpatient Settings):

Physical/Occupational: 30 visits per Benefit Period

Speech Therapy: 30 visits per Benefit Period

Primary Care Provider

\$15 co-payment

70% after deductible

Specialist

\$30 co-payment

70% after deductible

Urgent Care Centers and Emergency Room

Urgent Care Centers

\$30 co-payment

\$30 co-payment

Emergency Room Visit (Inpatient Hospital benefits apply if admitted. If held for observation out patient benefits apply. See “Inpatient and Outpatient Hospital Services”.)

\$150 co-payment

\$150 co-payment

Ambulatory Surgical Center

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Inpatient and Outpatient Hospital Services

Hospital and Hospital Based Services

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Outpatient Clinic Services

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Professional Services

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Hospital and Professional

Outpatient Labs and Mammograms with surgery or other services.

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Outpatient Labs and Mammograms without surgery or other services.

100%

70% after deductible

Outpatient X-rays, ultrasounds, and other diagnostic test such as EEG's and EKG's

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

CT scans, MRI's, MRA's, and PET scans in any location, including

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Physician's office

Other Services

Skilled Nursing Facility (60 days per Benefit Period)

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Home Health Care, Ambulance, Durable Medical Equipment and Hospice

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Maternity

Maternity Delivery includes Prenatal and Post-delivery care

Hospital Services (Delivery)

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Professional Services (Delivery)

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Transplants

Hospital Services

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Professional Services

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Infertility and Sexual Dysfunction Services

Up to \$5,000 per Lifetime

Primary Care Provider

\$15 co-payment

70% after deductible

Specialist

\$30 co-payment

70% after deductible

Hospital Services

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Inpatient Outpatient Professional Services

90% after deductible

70% after deductible

Vision Care

Comprehensive Eye Exam

\$15 co-payment

Benefit Not Available

Blue Options SM Benefits Highlights (PPO)**Lifetime Maximum, Deductibles & Coinsurance Maximums** **In-network** **Out-of-network***The following deductibles and Coinsurance Maximums only apply to the services on the previous page:*

Lifetime Benefit Maximum	Unlimited	Unlimited
Deductibles		
Individual (per Benefit Period)	\$500	\$1,000
Family (per Benefit Period)	\$1,500	\$3,000
Coinsurance Maximum		
Individual (per Benefit Period)	\$2,000	\$4,000
Family (per Benefit Period)	\$6,000	\$12,000

Prescription Drugs*Up to 30 day supply. 31-60 day supply is two co-payments and 61-90 day supply**Is three co-payments. Infertility Drugs up to \$5,000 Lifetime Maximum.**MAC B Pricing, Brand Penalty*

Tier 1 (Generic)	\$10 co-payment	Co-payment + charge over In-network allowed amount
Tier 2 (Preferred Brand)	\$35 co-payment	Co-payment + charge over In-network allowed amount
Tier 3 (Brand)	\$50 co-payment	Co-payment + charge over In-network allowed amount
Tier 4 (Specialty Drugs)		75% of cost of medications

Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services**Certified****Not-Certified****Inpatient/Outpatient Certification is required. Call Magellan Behavioral Health at 1-800-359-2422.***Mental Health Services**

Office (30 visits per Benefit Period)	\$30 co-payment	70% coinsurance
Inpatient/Outpatient (30 Days per Benefit Period)	90% Coinsurance	70% coinsurance

Substance Abuse Services

Office Visit	\$30 co-payment	70% coinsurance
Inpatient/Outpatient	90% Coinsurance	70% coinsurance

Benefit Period Maximum	\$8,000
Lifetime Maximum	\$16,000

BCBS Medical Prices July, 2006 – June, 2007

Employee Only: \$0 (per pay period)
Employee/Spouse: \$115.69 (per pay period)
Employee/1Child: \$31.48 (per pay period)
Employee/Family: \$263.52 (per pay period)

Guardian Dental Services

Diagnostic & Preventive Care	100%
Basic Restorative Care	80% after Dental deductible
Major Restorative Care	50% after Dental deductible
Individual Dental Deductible (per Benefit Period)	\$25
Family Dental Deductible (per Benefit Period)	\$75
Combined Benefit Period Maximum (Includes Diagnostic and Preventive, Basic and Major Restorative Care)	\$1,000
Orthodontic Care	50%
Lifetime Orthodontic Maximum	\$1,000

Guardian Dental Prices July, 2006 – June, 2007

Employee only: \$0 (*per pay period*)
Employee/Spouse: \$10.44 (*per pay period*)
Employee/Child(ren): \$16.78 (*per pay period*)
Family: \$27.23 (*per pay period*)

****Employee dependents are subject to late entrant penalties if they enroll in the Guardian Dental Plan during the group enrollment period.***

NOTICE: Your actual expenses for covered services may exceed the stated coinsurance percentage or co-payment amount because actual provider charges may not be used to determine the payment obligations for BCBSNC and its members.